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General Services Administration FAR Secretariat (MVP) 1800 F Street, NW Room 4035 ATTN: Laurie Duarte Washington, DC 20405

Dear Ms. Duarte:

I am writing with reference to FAR Council case #2001-014 which deals with proposed revocation of the so-called "blacklisting" rules published April 3, 2001 in the Federal Register. I am unequivocally in favor of the proposed stay of this rule and in fact favor outright revocation of the rules.

No amount of time will be sufficient to comply with the rule because of the prohibitive cost required to do so and because especially in the case of commercial item companies, the additional liabilities imposed will lead the company to avoid doing business with the government.

I therefore urge that the stay be implemented on an indefinite basis and that the rule ultimately be rejected. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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John H. Moellering

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